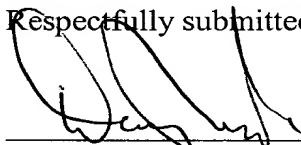


REMARKS

Applicants respectfully assert that the foregoing amendment is not being submitted for purpose of delay and does not involve new matter. In particular, Applicants have amended claim 56 to more accurately define an embodiment of the invention and provide for proper antecedent basis. If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephonic conference would expedite entry of the foregoing amendment, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney at (770) 933-9500.

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